

In re Application of:

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For: DATA TRANSMISSION METHOD, SYSTEM, BASE STATION, SUBSCRIBER STATION, DATA PROCESSING UNIT, COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT, COMPUTER PROGRAM DISTRIBUTION MEDIUM AND BASEBAND MODULE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

The Office Action dated January 7, 2008, has been received and carefully noted. The following remarks, which traverse the restriction requirement while provisionally electing Invention I, are submitted as a full and complete response thereto.

The Office Action of January 7, 2008, presented a restriction requirement, requiring election between one of the following two inventions:

Invention I, recited in claims 1, 6-10, 14-20, 24-25 and 56, classified by the Examiner in class 455/450, allegedly drawn to an operation that enables a data transmission method in a communication system, the system comprising at least one base and at least one subscriber station, wherein the at least one subscriber station allocates capacity for connections; and

Invention II, recited in claims 2-5, 11-13, 21-23, and 57, classified by the Examiner in class 455/435.2, allegedly drawn to an operation that enables a data transmission based on priority.